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Subject: Re: Fw: Refreshments under Contracts

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Hi Phil,

I'm assuming that as long as no more than \$20 is pent per federal employee that its ok. However, we should check-in with the CO.

Thanks,

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Subject: Fw: Refreshments under Contracts

Hi Ana,

Are you the appropriate person to ask? NatureServe is asking whether they can provide refreshment at the meetings they are organizing for us in Bristol Bay villages and Anchorage. It is part of Alaska Native culture to share food, so we it would be an appropriate local gesture. We all seem to be unsure about the answer.

Phil

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From: Mark Jen/R10/USEPA/US
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Subject: Refreshments under Contracts

Hi Phil,

I received your voicemail message. Can you please verify with the Contracting Officer regarding the use of contract funds to pay for refreshments. The rules under contracts are always changing, so please rely on the CO for all final decisions.

Thanks.

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